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DURING A CALL ON MFA MIDDLE EAST DIRECTOR CELILOGLU MAY 8, EMBOFFS TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO ASK HIS REACTION TO SYRIAN MINISTER KAHHALEH'S SUGGESTION THAT TURKEY ENTER NEGOTIATIONS WITH SYRIA AND IRAQ ON EUPHRATES WATER (REFTEL). CELILOGLU SAID THAT SO FAR NO SUCH PROPOSAL HAD BEEN MADE TO TURKEY THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS. HE ADDED THAT THE ONLY RECENT OFFICIAL TURKISH CONTACT WITH EITHER OF THE OTHER TWO COUNTRIES REGARDING THEIR DISPUTE OVER EUPHRATES WATER CONSISTED OF A REQUEST MADE BY IRAQ ABOUT A MONTH AGO FOR TURKISH DATA ON WATER FLOW. MACOMBER

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